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WHEREAS, International Paper Company, a corporation of the State of New York having a place of business at 400 Atlantic Street, Stamford, Connecticut 06921, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements throughout the world, the said application for United States Letters Patent and any United States Letters Patent granted therefor, and any applications for Letters Patent and the Letters Patent therefor in any country foreign to the United States based thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby sell, assign and transfer and set over unto the said International Paper Company, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said inventions or improvements, and to the said application for Letters Patent and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and to any invention or improvement made by me which is described in said application, and all Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention or improvement in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said inventions or improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND, I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements to the said International Paper Company, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2003.

Steven R. Van Fleet

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On this 23 day of 70 , 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Name to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

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